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SUBJECT: FULLY ARMORED CAR

REF STATE 000444

1. NEW TANK CLEARED CUSTOMS AND WAS INSTALLED YESTERDAY.
REGRETFULLY, IT HAS IDENTICAL LEAK PROBLEM AS ORIGINAL TANK. ONCE
TANK WAS FILLED WITH GAS, LEAKS AND SEEPS APPEARED ALONG SEAM.
ONE LEAK NEXT TO FLOATATAION VALVE WAS ACTUALLY SQUIRTING GAS IN A WI
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ARC. RSO HAD TANK REMOVED AND IT WAS TAKEN TO LOCAL TWA
MAINTENANCE FACILITY. TWA MECHANIC OPINED THAT LEAKS WERE CAUSED
BY ADDED STRESS TO INNER TANK BY ARMOR PLATING. SUGGEST DEPT
INFORM PROTECTIVE DEVICES, INC. THAT MODIFICATION OF ARMING OF
TANK AREA MAY BE NECESSARY TO PRECLUDE SIMILAR PROBLEMS.

ALSO SUGEST THAT TANKS BE SHIPPED IN PADDED CONTAINER RATHER
THAN STRAPPED TO WOODEN PALLET AS NEW TANK ARRIVED. FIBERGLASS
EVIDENCE CRACKS ALONG SEAM BEFORE INSTALLATION.

2. TWA APPLIED A SEAM SEALING COMPOUND TO ENTIRE SEAM. (MFG
BY W.P. FULLER AND CO.). WE WILL LET SEAL SET THIS WEEKEND AND TEST
IT ON MONDAY. WITH SOME LUCK, WE WILL HAVE THE CAR ON THE ROAD
SAME DAY. WE WILL ADVISE RESULTS.

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3. LIGHTERS NAD MEDALLIONS ARRIVED IN TODAY'S POUCH.

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